# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Gerry and Melba Tillman began the celebration of life together as husband and wife in Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-Eight; and,

WHEREAS, Their marriage has spanned half a century of service and devotion to their family, friends and neighbors; and,

WHEREAS, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Gerry and Melba Tillman have helped make this nation a great place to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, On July 8, there will be an occasion of great joy and celebration as friends and loved ones gather to honor Gerry and Melba; and,

WHEREAS, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognize and commemorate the memorable milestones in the lives of this nation's outstanding citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 16, 1988, as

GERRY AND MELBA TILLMAN DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a country that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE